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FOR: FLAVOR PRECURSOR COMPOSITION AND METHOD FOR RELEASING  
THE FLAVOR COMPONENT

AMENDMENT AND REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION

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SIR:

In response to the Official Action dated May 17, 2004, Applicants respectfully request reconsideration in light of the following additional amendments and remarks.

**Amendments to the Abstract** begins on page 2 of this response.

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**Support for the Amendment** appears on page 9 of this response.

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